



PATENT APPLICATION Attorney Docket No. 37834YY1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of: Gollnick, et al

Serial No.: 09/972,749

Filed: 10/08/2001

For: System for Coupling a

Multiplicity of RF Data Collection Terminals with Host Computer

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Attention: Initial Patent Examination Division

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Applicant hereby responds to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on 10/30/2001, in connection with the above-captioned application for patent as follows.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION, consisting of two (2) pages, a substitute specification of 64 pages, and a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION of one (1) page, with authorization to charge filing fees and surcharge to Deposit Account, are being deposited with sufficient postage with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

February 28, 2002

Date

John H. Sherman, Reg. No. 16,909

- (1) Please charge deposit Account No. 14-1190 in the amount of \$870 to cover the surcharge and filing fees. A duplicate copy of the RESPONSE is enclosed for accounting purposes.
- (2) A Petition for a Two-Month Extension of time was sent by Certificate of Mailing on February 8, 2002.

The commissioner is hereby requested to grant any needed extension of time and to charge any additional fees, which may be required for this response, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 14-1190. A duplicate copy of the RESPONSE is enclosed.

- (3) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is attached herewith.
- (4) A substitute specification is submitted herewith which was prepared by making a photocopy of the earlier Application No. 07/700,704 filed 05/14/1991; the enclosed specification has 64 pages including the Appendices; the substitute specification does not contain any new matter, and does not present any changes in wording from the present specification.

Respectfully submitted,

February 28, 2002

Date

John H. Sherman, Reg. No. 16,909

Attorney of Record

Enclosures: (1) Substitute Specification of 64 Pages.

(2) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27),
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 870.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - Papers contain improper margins. Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")

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